MENDOCINO NATIONAL FOREST ORDER NO. 08-18-15

Pursuant to 16 USC 551 and 36 CFR 261.50(a) and (b), and to provide for public safety, the following acts are prohibited within the Mendocino National Forest. This Order is effective from September 2, 2018 until December 31, 2018.

- 1. Being within the boundary of the Ranch Fire Closure Area, which begins at the intersection of County Road No. 301 and the Mendocino National Forest Boundary (Forest Boundary), then continues west and north along the Forest Boundary to its intersection with Forest Road No. M8, then continues east along the north side of Forest Road No. M8 to its intersection with Forest Road No. M1, then continues north along the east side of Forest Road No. M1 to its intersection with Forest Road No. 18N07, then continues east along the south side of Forest Road No. M1 to its intersection with Forest Road No. 18N16, then continues east along the north side of Forest Road No. M1 to its intersection with Forest Road No. M6, then continues north along the west side of Forest Road No. M6 to its intersection with Corbin Creek, then continues east along Corbin Creek to its intersection with Forest Road No. M3, then continues north along east side of Forest Road No. M3 to its intersection with Forest Road No. 19N71, then continues south along the west side of Forest Road No. 19N71 to its intersection with Forest Road No. 19N32, then continues east along the south side of Forest Road No. 19N32 to its intersection with the Forest Boundary, then continues south and west along the Forest Boundary back to the starting point, as shown in Exhibits A and B. 36 CFR 261.52(e).
- 2. Being on any National Forest System road within the Ranch Fire Closure Area, as shown in Exhibits A and B. 36 CFR 261.54(e).
- 3. Being on any National Forest System trail within the Ranch Fire Closure Area, as shown in Exhibits A and B. 36 CFR 261.55(a).

Pursuant to 36 CFR 261.50(e), the following persons are exempt from this Order:

- 1. Persons with a permit from the Forest Service specifically authorizing the otherwise prohibited act or omission.
- 2. Any Federal, State, or local officer or member of an organized rescue or fire fighting force in the performance of an official duty.
- 3. Owners or lessees of private land in the area, to the extent necessary to access their land.

These prohibitions are in addition to the general prohibitions contained in 36 CFR Part 261, Subpart A.

A violation of these prohibitions is punishable by a fine of not more than \$5,000.00 for an individual or \$10,000.00 for an organization or imprisonment for not more than six months or both. 16USC551 and 18USC 3559, 3571 and 3581.

Done in Willows, California, this 1st day of September, 2018.

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Forest Supervisor

Mendocino National Forest

This Order supersedes Order No. 08-18-14, dated August 14, 2018.



